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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 12, 2008, Applicants respectfully request continued examination and reconsideration of the above-captioned patent application in view of the following amendment and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins at page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin at page 10 of this paper.